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S. No.	No. and Date	Issued by	Subject
1	No. CA/37/Cons./49, dated the 15th October 1949.	Constituent Assembly of India . . .	Amendments in the Constituent Assembly Rules.
2	No. 25-T(6)/49, dated the 15th October 1949.	Ministry of Transport . . .	Enforcement of the Road Transport Corporations Act, 1948, in the Province of Bombay with effect from the 15th October 1949.
	No. 25-T(6)/49, dated the 15th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	The Transport Services (Compensation) Rules, 1949.
3	No. 91-CW(4)/49, dated the 18th October 1949.	Ministry of Commerce . . .	Further amendment in the Open General Licence No. 4.
4	Ordinance No. XXVII of 1949, dated the 18th October 1949.	Ministry of Law . . .	The Administration of Evacuee Property Ordinance, 1949.
5	No. 14(57)-Cus/49, dated the 18th October 1949.	Ministry of Rehabilitation . . .	Appointment of Shri Achhru Ram, Retired Judge of East Punjab High Court, as the Custodian General of Evacuee Property in India.
6	No. M. II-155(24)-1, dated the 18th October 1949.	Ministry of Works, Mines and Power . . .	The Mines and Minerals (Regulation and Development) Act, 1949 to come into force with effect from the 25th October 1949.
	No. M. II-155(24)-2, dated the 18th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	The Mineral Concession Rules, 1949.
	No. T-2/180/48, dated the 19th October 1949.	Ministry of Communications . . .	The Indian Wireless Telegraph (Amendment) Act, 1949, to come into force with effect from the 22nd October 1949.
7	No. 91-ITC/49, dated the 20th October 1949.	Ministry of Commerce . . .	Amendment in the Open General Licence No. XVI.
8	No. 351, dated the 22nd October 1949 . . .	Ministry of Industry and Supply . . .	Maximum prices for pig iron.
9	No. 9 (9)-Tex. I/49, dated the 24th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	Further amendment in the Textile Commissioner's Notification No. 9 (9)-Tex. I/49 (ii), dated the 19th March 1949.
	No. 9 (9)-Tex. I/49 (i), dated the 24th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	Further amendment in the Textile Commissioner's Notification No. 80-Tex. I/48 (iii), dated the 2nd August 1948.
	No. 9 (9)-Tex. I/49 (ii), dated the 24th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	Further amendment in the Textile Commissioner's Notification No. 9 (9)-Tex. I/49 (1), dated the 30th April 1949.
	No. 9 (9)-Tex. I/49 (iii), dated the 24th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	Further amendment in the Textile Commissioner's Notification No. 80-Tex. I/48 (1), dated the 2nd August 1948.
	No. 17/2-Tex. 2/49 (i), dated the 24th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	Further amendment in the Textile Commissioner's Notification No. 17/2-Tex. 2/49 (iii), dated the 29th January 1949.
	No. 17/2-Tex. 2/49 (ii), dated the 24th October 1949.	Ditto . . .	Authority to certain officers for discharging on behalf of the Textile Commissioner the function under clause 9 (1) of the Government Contractors (Disposal of Cotton Textiles Unused Material and Rejected Stores) Order, 1949, etc.

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PART I—Section 1

Government of India Notifications relating to Rules, Regulations and Orders and Resolutions (other than the Ministry of Defence)

CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY OF INDIA

New Delhi, the 18th/19th October 1949.

No. OA/8/Ser/49.—Shri P. S. Rau, a representative of Jodhpur State in the Constituent Assembly of India, has resigned his membership of the Constituent Assembly.

No. OA/8/Ser/49.—Shri Hira Vallabh Tripathi has been duly elected as a representative of the United Provinces in the Constituent Assembly of India, vice Shri S. Radhakrishnan, resigned.

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. OA/8/Ser/49.—A vacancy having occurred in the Constituent Assembly of India by reason of the resignation of Shri Shantilal Harjivan Shah, a member elected to the said Assembly by the General part of the Bombay Legislative Assembly, the President of the Constituent Assembly is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (1) of rule 5 of the Constituent Assembly Rules, to call upon the above constituency to elect, in accordance with the said Rules, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy.

S. N. MUKERJEE, Joint Secy.

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

New Delhi, the 24th October 1949

No. 9/94/49-Police-I.—In the Ministry of Home Affairs Notification No. 9/94/49-Police-I, dated the 10th September 1949, regarding exemption of Dr. C. Mani, Regional Director, South-East Asia Region of the World Health Organisation from the payment of arms licence fees, for the word "permit" substitute the word "remt".

New Delhi, the 29th October 1949

No. 26/6/49-Police I.—His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased on the advice of his Ministers to award a Bar to the Indian Police Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officer of the United Provinces Police.

Name of Officer and Rank.—S. A. Thomas, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Shahjahanpur.

Statement of Services for which the Decoration has been awarded.—On the 18th July 1948 at about dusk a gang of 6 Sikh dacoits armed with a 303 rifle, swords and kirpans entered a house in Mohallah Katia Toja, Shahjahanpur City in P. C. Kotwali, and bolted the door from inside. A neighbour saw the dacoits entering the house and suspecting foul play chained the door from outside with commendable presence of mind. The gang after

collecting about a maund of silver jewellery was about to leave when they found the main door chained from outside. They then shut themselves up in a room on the ground floor. On receiving information on the phone that a dacoity was being committed in the city, Shri S. A. Thomas with some members of his A. P. guard and one of his orderlies rushed to the scene. With these armed men Shri Thomas scaled over the wall from the back of the house, jumped down to the terrace about 10-12 feet below and crawled up to a ventilator on the terrace. The room in which the dacoits had shut themselves up being pointed out the Police party took lying position on the roof. Fire was exchanged between the dacoits and the Police party from different angles. Finding that the fire was ineffective, as the dacoits were inside the room and the door was very thick, Shri S. A. Thomas, after posting his men at safe and strategic points, scaled down again and commanded the gang to surrender or to face fire being set to the house. Realising the gravity of the situation the gang agreed to surrender and Shri Thomas and another officer with him stood at the door-way to the staircase with loaded revolvers so that if any of the members of the gang did not keep to their promise, they could be shot down.

Shri Thomas displayed initiative, courage and leadership of a high order throughout this encounter.

2. This award is made for gallantry under regulation d(i) of the regulations governing the award of the Indian Police Medal.

U. K. GHOSHAL, Dy. Secy.

New Delhi, the 25th October 1949

No. 8/14/48-Judl.—*Corrigendum*—In the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Home Affairs, No. 8/14/48-Judl., dated the 5th July 1949, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 5th July 1949, in lines 5 and 6 for "Bombay Agricultural Debtors' Relief (Amendment) Act, 1948 (No. LXXIII of 1948)" read "Bombay Agricultural Debtors' Relief (Amendment) Act, 1948 (Bombay Act LXX of 1948)".

E. C. GAYNOR, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. 392-Pt.—In cancellation of this Ministry's Notification No. 87-Pt., dated the 22nd March 1949, it is notified for general information that the Consulate for the United States of Venezuela at Bombay has been reopened and Mr. Frederick Charles Holley has been appointed as honorary Consul for Venezuela at Bombay.

New Delhi, the 22nd October 1949

No. 395-Pt.—On the 14th October 1949, His Excellency the Governor-General received His Excellency Senhor Caio de Mello Franco, who presented his Letters of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Brazil to India.

O. V. RAMADORAII, Under Secy

MINISTRY OF STATES

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. 228-J.—Whereas the Central Government has full and exclusive authority, jurisdiction and powers for, and in relation to, the governance of the Tripura State.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Extra-Provincial Jurisdiction Act, 1947 (XLVII of 1947), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the Drugs (Control) Ordinance, 1949 (XXVI of 1949), shall apply to the said Tripura State subject to any amendments to which the said Ordinance is for the time being generally subject in the Chief Commissioners provinces

Provided that—

- (1) References in the said ordinance to the Central Government shall be construed as references to the Chief Commissioner
- (2) Notwithstanding anything in the said Ordinance, defining the extent of and appointing the date for commencement, the said Ordinance, except where expressly provided, shall apply to the said State and shall be deemed to have come into force on the date of issue of this Order;
- (3) The said Ordinance shall supersede the corresponding State Law (by whatever name called), if any, at present in force in the said State;
- (4) Any Court, Tribunal or authority may construe the provisions of the said Ordinance applied by this Order to the said State and of any notification order, bye-law rule or regulation made or issued thereunder, with such modification not affecting the substance, as may be necessary or proper in order to adapt them to the matter before the Court, Tribunal or authority, as the case may be.

A. N. SACHDEV, Under Secy

FEDERAL COURT OF INDIA

New Delhi, the 18th October 1949

No. F.5/49-F.O.J.—The following is published for general information:—

AMENDMENTS TO FEDERAL COURT RULES 1942.

The Federal Court, in the exercise of its rule-making powers, and with the approval of the Governor General,

hereby makes the following further amendments to the Federal Court Rules, 1942:—

These amendments shall be deemed to have come into force from the 10th day of October, 1949.

1. In Part I, Order X,

(a) Substitute the following for rules 5 to 7.—

“5 Every decree passed or order made by the Court shall be drawn up in the Registry and be signed by the Registrar and sealed with the seal of the Court, and shall bear the same date as the judgment in the suit or appeal.

6 A decree shall specify clearly the declaration granted or other determination of the suit or appeal.

7 The decree passed or order made by the Court in every appeal including an order for costs shall be transmitted by the Registrar to the Court from which the appeal was brought and steps for enforcement of such decree or order shall be taken in that Court in the way prescribed by law.”

(b) Delete rules 8, 9, 10 and 11 and renumber rules 12, 13, and 14 as 8, 9 and 10.

II At the end of Part II-B, Order XVIII-A, add the following as Part II-C.

“PART II-C.

ORDER XVIII-B.

CRIMINAL APPEALS AND PETITIONS UNDER THE ABOLITION OF PRIVY COUNCIL JURISDICTION ACT, 1949.

1 The rules contained in Order XVII, of Part II-A, together with such provisions in the other Orders of the said Part as may be applicable to criminal appeals, shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to criminal appeals brought or transferred to the Court under the Abolition of Privy Council Jurisdiction Act, 1949.

2. The provisions contained in rules 3, 4, 5 and 11 of Order XVIII-A, Part II-B, shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to applications made to the Court praying for special leave to appeal with the addition of the words “the grounds of appeal and” after the word “clearly” and before the word “all” in line 2 of rule 3.”

III. Delete Part IV, Order XXXII, which relates to appeals to His Majesty in Council.

IV In Part VI, Order XXXV, substitute the words “three weeks” for the words “three months” in Rule 16, line 1, and the words “two weeks” for the words “one month” in Rule 16, line 1.

By order of the Court,

P. N. MURTY,

Registrar, Federal Court of India.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

New Delhi, the 18th October 1949

No. D. 2951-F. 111/49.—Statement of the Affairs of the Reserve Bank of India, as on the 14th October 1949.

BANKING DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000	Notes	30,49,77,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000	Rupee Coin	9,44,000
Deposits:—		Subsidiary Coin	1,76,000
(a) Government:—			
(1) Central Government	155,50,20,000	(a) Internal	10,18,000
(2) Other Governments	20,87,49,000	(b) External	1,72,84,000
(b) Banks	64,02,62,000	(c) Government Treasury Bills	187,30,00,000
(c) Others	68,07,70,000	Balances held abroad*	1,48,00,000
Bills Payable	4,68,80,000	Loans and Advances to Governments	9,30,22,000
Other Liabilities	6,45,72,000	Other Loans and Advances	95,90,53,000
		Investments	3,19,82,000
Rupees	329,62,62,000	Other Assets	
		Rupees	329,62,62,000

* Includes Cash and Short term Securities.

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 14th day of October 1949
 ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	80,49,77,000		A.— Gold Coin and Bullion :—	40,01,71,000	
Notes in circulation	1078,08,28,000		(a) Held in India		
Total Notes Issued	1108,58,05,000		(b) Held outside India		
Total Liabilities	1108,58,05,000		Foreign Securities	600,34,38,000	

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities: 57.764 per cent.

Dated the 19th day of October 1949.

B. RAMA RAU, Governor.

K. R. K. MENON, Secy.

New Delhi, the 29th October, 1949

No. F.8(12)-B/49.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 28 of the Public Debt Act, 1944 (XVIII of 1944), the Central Government is pleased to make the following amendments to the Public Debt (Central Government) Rules, 1946, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (1) of the said section, namely:—

Amendments

In the said Rules—

1. In rule 1.—

- (a) in sub-rules (1) and (2) the words and brackets “(Central Government)” shall be omitted; and
- (b) after sub-rule (2), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:—

“(3) They shall apply to all securities to which the Public Debt Act, 1944 (XVIII of 1944), applies.”

2. In rule 2.—

- (a) in sub-rule (1), the words and brackets “(Central Government)” shall be omitted; and
- (b) after sub-rule (2), the following sub-rule shall be inserted, namely:—

“(2A) “The Government” in relation to any Government security means the Central or Provincial Government issuing the security.”

3. In sub-rule (2) of rule 3, for the words “*Gazette of India*” the following words shall be substituted, namely:—

“*Gazette of India* or the official Gazette of the Province according as the notification relates to the security of the Central or the Provincial Government.”

4. In rule 4, sub-rule (4) (b) (II) (i) of rule 12, sub-rule (4) of rule 18 and form XX, the word “Central” occurring in “Central Government” shall be omitted.

5. For sub-rule (2) (b) (iii) of rule 8 the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“(iii) the Government security in the form of a Government promissory note has been endorsed, in the case of securities of the Central Government in favour of the Governor-General of India, and in the case of securities of Provincial Governments in favour of the Governor of the Province concerned.”

6. For sub-rules (1) and (2) of rule 9 the following shall be substituted, namely:—

- “(1) *Government promissory note*.—Interest may be made payable.
- (a) in the case of a promissory note of the Central Government at any treasury or sub-treasury in the Provinces of India, and
- (b) in the case of a promissory note of a Provincial Government at any treasury or sub-treasury in

the Province concerned or at any Public Debt Office,

subject to compliance by the holder with such formalities as the Public Debt Office may require and interest shall accordingly be paid at such treasury or sub-treasury or Public Debt Office on presentation of the note itself. The payee shall give a receipt in Form IV. Where, however, interest on a Government promissory note is payable at a place where a Public Debt Office is located, the note shall be presented at the Public Debt Office which shall issue an interest warrant in favour of the holder payable at the local office of the Bank. Notwithstanding anything contained herein the Public Debt Office may pay interest on a Government promissory note, the interest on which is payable at a treasury or a sub-treasury by an interest warrant payable at such treasury or sub-treasury.

(2) *Stock*.—Interest on stock shall be paid by warrants issued by the Public Debt Office and payable at the local office of the Bank. Such warrants may, at the request of the holder of the stock preferred in writing to the Public Debt Office, be made payable subject to compliance by the holder with such formalities as the Public Debt Office may require,

(a) in the case of stock of a loan of the Central Government at any other Indian Office of the Reserve Bank of India or any agency thereof conducting Government treasury business or at any treasury or sub-treasury in the Provinces of India, or in a State in India at the Head Post Office if there is no Indian treasury, or if there is no Head Post Office at any place designated by the Central Government by an order in writing in this behalf, and

(b) in the case of stock of a loan of a Provincial Government at any other Indian office of the Reserve Bank of India or any agency thereof conducting treasury business in the Province concerned or at any treasury or sub-treasury within that Province.

The presentation of stock certificate shall not be required at the time of payment of interest, but the payee shall acknowledge receipt at the back of the warrant.”

7. In sub-rule (8) of rule 12 for the words “in three successive issues of the *Gazette of India* and the local official Gazette, if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred” the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“in the following manner:—

- (a) in the case of a promissory note of the Central Government, in three successive issues of the *Gazette of India* and of the local official Gazette if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred, and
- (b) in the case of a promissory note of a Provincial Government, in three successive issues of the official Gazette of the Province concerned and if the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or deface-

ment occurred at a place outside that Province also in three successive issues of the official Gazette, if any, of such place."

8. In the form of notification in sub-rule (3) of rule 12 after the words "The Government promissory note No.....of the" the words and brackets, "(name of the Government concerned)" shall be inserted.

9. In sub-rule (3) of rule 13—

(i) for the words "in one issue each of the *Gazette of India* and of the local official Gazette, if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred" the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"in the following manner:—

(a) in the case of treasury bill of the Central Government, in one issue each of the *Gazette of India* and the local official Gazette, if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred, and

(b) in the case of a treasury bill of a Provincial Government in one issue of the official Gazette of the Province concerned and if the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred at a place outside that Province, also in one issue of the official Gazette, if any, of such place."

(ii) In the form of the notification after the word "issued" the words and brackets "by (name of the Government concerned)" shall be inserted.

10. In sub-rule (4) of rule 14—

(i) for the words "in three successive issues of the *Gazette of India*, and of the local official Gazette, if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred", the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"in the following manner:—

(a) in the case of a bearer bond of the Central Government in three successive issues of the *Gazette of India* and of the local official Gazette, if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred, and

(b) in the case of a bearer bond of a Provincial Government, in three successive issues of the official Gazette of that province and if the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred at a place outside that Province also in three successive issues of the official Gazette, if any, of such place."

(ii) in the form of the notification after the words—

"The _____ (bearer bond No.) _____ of the" the words and brackets "(name of the Government concerned)" shall be inserted.

11. In sub-rule (2) of rule 15—

(i) for the words "in the *Gazette of India* and of the local official Gazette, if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement, occurred", the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"in the following manner:—

(a) in the case of prize bond of the Central Government, in the *Gazette of India* and the local official Gazette, if any, of the place where the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred, and

(b) in the case of a prize bond of a Provincial Government, in the official Gazette of that Province and if the loss, theft, destruction, mutilation or defacement occurred at a place outside that Province, also in the official Gazette, if any, of such place."

(ii) In the form of the notification after the words "The Prize Bond No.....of the" the words and brackets "(name of the Government concerned)" shall be inserted.

12. In sub-rule (1) of rule 18 after the words "*Gazette of India*", the words "or in the official Gazette of the Province concerned, according as the publication relates

to a security issued by the Central Government or by a Provincial Government" shall be inserted.

13. For sub-rule (7) of rule 22 the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:—

"(7) The notices prescribed in sub-rules (4) and (6) above shall be published in three successive issues of,

(a) the *Gazette of India* and the local official Gazette where they relate to a security of the Central Government, and

(b) the official Gazette of the Province concerned, where they relate to a security of a Provincial Government,

as soon as possible after the date on which they are respectively issued."

14. In sub-rule (1) (b) of rule 24 for the words "pay to Governor-General of India in Council", the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"(i) in the case of notes of the Central Government 'Pay to the Governor-General of India', and

(ii) in the case of notes of a Provincial Government 'Pay to the Governor of.....' (the name of the Province concerned)."

M. V. RANGACHARI, Dy Secy.

Reserve Bank of India

Bombay, the 17th October 1949

No. F.E.R.A. 88/49-R.B.—In pursuance of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance No. 12(12)-FI/49 dated the 10th September 1949 the Reserve Bank is pleased to permit any person to bring into the Provinces of India from any place outside India and Hyderabad, Bank of England notes up to a value of £5 provided that he makes a declaration on the appropriate form specified by the Reserve Bank at the time of arrival to the Customs authorities of the total amount of notes brought in.

B. RAMA RAU, Governor.

O. K. GHOSH, Under Secy.

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. F. 14(4)-EFIII/49.—The Government of India have decided to constitute an *ad hoc* Committee for the purpose of considering measures that should be taken to meet the problems created by the devaluation of the rupee and to review the progress made in the implementation of these measures.

2. The personnel of the Committee will be as follows:—

1. The Hon'ble Finance Minister.
2. The Hon'ble Commerce Minister.
3. The Hon'ble Minister for Industry and Supply.
4. The Hon'ble Food Minister.
5. The Hon'ble Minister for Parliamentary Affairs.
6. Shri T. T. Krishnamachari.
7. Shri R. N. Goenka.
8. Shri B. L. Sondhi.
9. Shri M. Ananthasayanam Ayyangar
10. Pandit H. N. Kunzru.
11. Shri Khandubhai Desai
12. Shri B. Das.
13. Shri K. M. Munshi.
14. Shrimati Renuka Ray.
15. Shri Pattabhi Sitaramayya.

3. ORDERED that this Resolution be published in the Gazette of India.

G. R. KAMAT, Joint Secy.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE (REVENUE DIVISION)

CENTRAL EXCISES

New Delhi, the 29th October 1949

No. 31.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of rule 8 of the Central Excise Rules, 1944, the Central Government is pleased to exempt from the whole of the duty leviable under the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944 (I of 1944), Buck Grey cloth proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Central Excise to be intended for use in printing process, if the procedure set out in Chapter X of the said Rules is followed in respect of such goods.

No. 32.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 97 of the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944 (I of 1944), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the Central Excise Rules, 1944, namely:—

In the said Rules, for rule 223, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:—

“223. Stocks of excisable goods to be stored in an orderly manner—(1) All excisable goods stored in the premises of a person licensed under Chapter VIII of these rules or in a public warehouse, whether without or after payment of duty, shall be stacked in an orderly manner, so as to permit of actual counting and, if the Collector so requires, packages containing goods of the same kind and with the same quality in each shall be kept together in separate lots and the goods shall be arranged in separate rows each row containing the same number of packages of uniform size and weight. The Collector may also require the licensed person or keeper of the warehouse, to maintain stock cards in respect of the separate lots and to leave an accessible passage free of packages in the middle of the warehouse and a similar passage along the walls of the warehouse at right angles to the aforesaid passage, so as to facilitate counting, and may require that each separate lot or consignment shall be clearly marked with the number and date of the document under which the goods were admitted to the place of storage, the number of the relevant record in the entry book, stock-card, account or warehouse register and such other identifying particulars as he may direct.

(2) A breach of this rule shall be punishable with a penalty which may extend to one thousand rupees.”

No. 33.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 30 of the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944 (I of 1944), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the late Finance Department (Central Revenues), No. VI-D-Central Excises, dated the 28th February 1941, namely:—

In the said notification, the word “salt and” shall be omitted.

CUSTOMS

New Delhi, the 29th October 1949

No. 54.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the notification of the Government of India No. 475-S.R., dated the 25th January 1895, prohibiting the import into British India by land of Daaman Salt, shall be cancelled.

D P ANAND, Dy Secy

CUSTOMS

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. 55.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Export Duties (Emergency Provisions) Ordinance 1940 (XXV of 1940), the Central Government is pleased

to direct that the following amendment shall be made in its Ministry of Finance (Revenue Division) Notification No. Customs-50, dated the 22nd September 1949, namely:—

In the column headed “name of article”, the item “pig iron” shall be omitted.

K. R. P. AYANGAR, Joint Secy.

INCOME-TAX

New Delhi, the 22nd October 1949

No. 101.—It is notified for general information that the Central Government have approved the institution mentioned below for the purposes of sub-section (1) of section 15B of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922 (XI of 1922):—

“United Provinces

323. The Vigyan Kala Bhawan, Daurala.”

No. 102.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 40-A of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922 (XI of 1922), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the Income-tax (Double Taxation Relief) (Indian States) Rules, 1939, namely:—

To the entries in the Schedule annexed to the said Rules the following shall be added, namely:—

“Union of States

1 The Union of Saurashtra.”

New Delhi, the 29th October 1949

No. 104.—It is notified for general information that the Central Government have approved the institution mentioned below for the purposes of sub-section (1) of section 15B of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922 (XI of 1922):—

“Bombay

324 The Bharatiya Vidyabhawan, Bombay.”

PYARE LAL, Dy Secy

CENTRAL BOARD OF REVENUE

CUSTOMS

New Delhi, the 22nd October 1949

No. 58.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of section 11 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Central Board of Revenue makes the following further amendment in its Notification No. 43-Customs, dated the 21st September 1940, namely:—

In the table appended to the said notification after entry 21 the following entry shall be inserted, namely:—

“22. From Ba in Bunder bounded on the West by the Muzawar Pakadi Road, on the North by the South wall of Clarke Basin, on the East by the foreshore and Western fence of Malet Bunder and on the South by the Wadi Bunder Warehouse.	Dutiable goods ordinarily landed in Docks, excluding explosives and ammunition.	Nil
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D. P. ANAND, Dy. Secy

INCOME-TAX

New Delhi, the 22nd October 1949

No. 103.—In pursuance of sub-section (4) of section 5 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922 (XI of 1922) and in partial modification of its notification No. 82-J.T. dated the 9th November, 1946, the Central Board of Revenue directs that the Appellate Assistant Commissioner of Income-tax, D Range, Bombay, shall also and the 1st Additional Appellate Assistant Commissioner of Income-tax, A Range, Calcutta shall not perform his functions in respect of Mr J C. Casshyap, for the Income-tax Appeal No. 41/IV/47-48 for the assessment year 1942-48.

PYARE LAL, Secy.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

CENTRAL TEA BOARD

New Delhi, the 22nd October 1949

No. 309(14)-FT(Tea)/49.—In pursuance of section 4 of the Central Tea Board Act, 1940 (XIII of 1940), the Central Government is pleased to notify that the Government of Assam has nominated Mr. B. C. Kapur, as a member of the Central Tea Board *vice* Mr. A. N. M. Saleh.

Mr. B. C. Kapur shall hold office for a term of three years with effect from the date of this notification.

S. K. BANERJI, Dy. Secy.

MERCHANT SHIPPING

New Delhi, the 29th October 1949

No. 8-M.IV(1)/49.—In pursuance of clause (f) of section 2 of the Control of Shipping Act, 1947 (XXVI of 1947), the Central Government is pleased to authorise Mr. S. V. Kailasapathy, Assistant Director General of Shipping, Bombay, also to perform the functions of a Shipping Authority under the said Act. The Notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce, No. 18-M.IV(6)/48, dated the 4th September 1948, is hereby cancelled.

No. 8-M.IV(1)/49.—In pursuance of clause (f) of section 2 of the Control of Shipping Act, 1947 (XXVI of 1947), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the late Department of Commerce, No. 159-MI(4)/47-D, dated the 3rd May 1947, the Central Government is pleased to authorise the following officers to perform the functions of a Shipping Authority under the said Act, namely:—

- (1) the Director General of Shipping;
- (2) the Joint Director General of Shipping;
- (3) the Deputy Director General of Shipping.

H. C. SARIN, Dy. Secy.

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 29th October 1949

No. 32-ITC/49.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 8 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act (XVIII of 1947), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the late Department of Commerce, No. 23-ITC/23, dated the 1st July 1943, namely:—

In the Schedule annexed to the said notification—

(1) In Part IV, Serial No. 282 and the entry against it shall be omitted.

(2) In Part V, after Serial No. 22, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

“22A. Gas Cylinders when imported 28, 28(8) and filled with gas. 72(c).”

No. 33-ITC/49.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 8 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, 1947 (XVIII of 1947), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the late Department of Commerce, No. 23-ITC/43, dated the 1st July 1948, as continued in force by section 4 of the said Act, namely:—

In the schedule annexed to the said notification—

1. *In Part I*—

(a) to the entries in column (8) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following shall be respectively added, namely:—

Serial No.	
16	63(80)
20	63(80)
22	63(83)
23	63(84)

Serial No.

26	63(81)
30	63(82)
41	64(8) and 64(4)
43	67(2)
44	68(2) and 68(8)
45	69(1)
46	70(4), 70(5) and 70(6)
47	64(2)
47A	70(2) and 70(8)
48	65 and 65(1)
54	63(83)

(b) for the entries in column (8) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following entries shall be respectively substituted, namely:—

Serial No.

9	63(85)
48A	67(8)
45B	69(2)

2. *In Part II*—

(a) to the entries in column 3 against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following shall be respectively added, namely:—

Serial No.

16	70(6)
17	70(7), 70(8) and 70(9)
22	80(9)
24	71(8)
28	72(18)
32	72(14)
37	72(38)
39	73
48	72(12)
46	73(8) and 73(14)
46A	73(7) and 73(15)
50	72(4)

(b) for the entries in column (8) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following entries shall be respectively added, namely:—

Serial No.

9	63, 63(1) to 63(85)
25	30(10)

3. *In Part III*—

to the entries in column (8) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following shall be respectively added, namely:—

Serial No.

1B	80(18)
5(1)	72(24) and 72(38)

4. *In Part IV*—

to the entries in column (8) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following shall be respectively added, namely:—

Serial No.

8	4(4) and 4(5)
9	4(2)
10	4(3)
18	7(1)
21	8(2), 8(3), 8(4) and 8(5)
26	9(7)
37	12(6)
49	18(9)
61	15(11)
64	15(12)
66	16(8)

Serial No.	Serial No.
75	20(4)
76	20(5)
77	20(8), 20(6), 20(7), 20(8) and 20(9).
78	21(4), 21(5) and 21(6)
79	21(7), 21(8) and 21(9)
109	28(21), 28(28), 28(24), 28(25), 28(26), 28(27) and 28(28).
110	28(15), 28(16), 28(18), 28(19), 28(20), 28(21) and 28(29).
115	28(30)
118	32(11) and 32(12)
167	45(8)
218	52(4)
226	58(2)
290	55(1), 55(2) and 55(38)
250	60(5)
252	60(4)
267	71(9)
268	71(9)
270	71(7)
271	71(7)
272	71(7)
275	61(11)
277	71(10)
278	71(10)
289	73(18)
290	78(10), 78(11) and 78(12)
308	78(1)
825	84(1)

(b) for the entries in column (3) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following entries shall be respectively substituted, namely:—

Serial No.	Serial No.
54	15(10)
157	44
158	44
159	44
160	44
244	60(6)
285	72(27)
286	72(26) and 72(27)
287	72(6) and 72(11)
288	72(6) and 72(11)
801	75(6), 75(7) and 75(8)
802	77(5)
303	77(5)
304	77(5)
805	77(5)

5. In Part V—

(a) to the entries in column (3) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following entries shall be respectively added, namely:—

Serial No.	Serial No.
1	10(2)
4	11(5)
6	13(8)
8	15(9)
9	28(22)
16	27(9)
21	28(17)
22	28(15) and 28(18)
80	28(17)

(b) for the entries in column (3) against the Serial Nos. mentioned below the following entries shall be respectively substituted, namely:—

Serial No.

44	44
45	44 and 44(1)
76	72(11)
79	78(9)

S. JAGANNATHAN, Joint Secy.

RESOLUTION

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 22nd October 1949

No. I(14)-ITC/47.—The Government of India have decided that the following amendment shall be made in the Ministry of Commerce Resolution No. I(14)-ITC/47 dated the 27th September 1948 namely:—

In part 2 of the Resolution, against clause (v) for the words—

“Non-official members, not exceeding four,” the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“Non-official members, not exceeding eight.”

ORDER

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all Provincial Governments, all Chief Commissioners, the several Ministries of the Government of India, Prime Minister's Secretariat, Cabinet Secretariat, the Private and Military Secretaries to His Excellency the Governor-General, the Central Board of Revenue, the Auditor General, the Director General of Employment and Resettlement, the Director General, Industry and Supply, the Chief Controller of Imports, the High Commissioner for India, London, the Economic Adviser to the Government of India, the Director General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Calcutta, the Indian Trade Commissioner in London, His Majesty's Senior Trade Commissioner in India, the High Commissioner for India in Pakistan, Karachi, the High Commissioner for Pakistan in India, New Delhi, the Secretary Indian Tariff Board, Bombay, and all recognised Chambers of Commerce and Associations.

ORDERED also that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

S. RANGANATHAN, Joint Secy.

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND SUPPLY

Bombay, the 18th October 1949

No. 12(4)-Tex.I/49.—In pursuance of sub-paragraph (2) of Paragraph 1 of the Textile Commissioner's Notification No. TCS1/20, dated the 22nd September, 1949, I hereby appoint the following officers in the office of the Textile Commissioner to exempt by an order in writing any producer to whom the said notification applies from compliance with any or all of the directions contained therein or to modify any or all such directions in their application to such producer, namely:—

1. Mr. C. J. Soneji, Production Officer.
2. Mr. D. E. Cooper, Director.
3. Mr. S. N. Das Gupta, Director.
4. Mr. P. S. Naidu, Director.
5. Mr. R. U. Shah, Director.
6. Mr. S. C. Das Gupta, Deputy Director.
7. Mr. D. M. Talegeri, Deputy Director.
8. Mr. M. C. Dutt, Deputy Director.

T. P. BARAT, Textile Commr.

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. I(1)-1(106).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (a) of clause 2 of the Iron and Steel (Control of Production and Distribution) Order, 1941, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Industry and Supply, No. I(1)-1(106), dated the 8th March 1948, namely:—

In the Schedule annexed to the said notification—

- (i) for the words "Provincial Iron and Steel Controller, Government of West Bengal, Calcutta" the words "Director of Consumer Goods and Deputy Director of Consumer Goods, Government of West Bengal, Calcutta" shall be substituted, and
- (ii) the following entries shall be added, namely:—
"Director of Consumer Goods, Government of Assam, Shillong."
"Deputy Iron and Steel Controller, Government of Bihar, Patna."

No. I(I)-1(580).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (a) of clause 2 of the Iron and Steel (Control of Production and Distribution) Order, 1941, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Industry and Supply, No. I(I)-1(580), dated the 20th May, 1946, namely:—

To the Schedule annexed to the said notification, the following entry shall be added, namely—

"Deputy Iron and Steel Controller, Government of Bihar, Patna".

No. I(I)-1(779).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (b) of clause 2 of the Iron and Steel (Scrap Control) Order, 1948, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Industry and Supply, No. I(I)-1(779), dated the 8th November 1948, namely:—

To the Schedule annexed to the said notification, the following entry shall be added, namely—

"Deputy Iron and Steel Controller, Bihar, Patna."

New Delhi, the 22nd October 1949

No. I(I)-1(699).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (a) of clause 2 of the Iron and Steel (Control of Production and Distribution) Order, 1941, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Industry and Supply No. I(I)-1(699), dated the 16th August, 1948, namely:—

To the Schedule annexed to the said notification, the following entry shall be added, namely:—

"The Director of Consumer Goods, Government of Assam, Shillong".

New Delhi, the 24th October 1949

No. I(1)-1(771).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (a) of clause 2 of the Iron and Steel (Control of Production and Distribution) Order, 1941, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Industry and Supply, No. I(1)-1(771), dated the 29th November, 1948, namely:—

To the Schedule annexed to the said notification, the following entries shall be added, namely:—

"Director of Consumer Goods, Government of Assam, Shillong."

Deputy Iron and Steel Controller, Government of Bihar, Patna.

All Assistant Directors of Consumer Goods (Steel Section), all Sub-Divisional Controllers of Civil Supplies and all District Controllers of Civil Supplies appointed by the Government of West Bengal."

N. R. REDDY, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

New Delhi, the 12th October 1949

No. F. 1-38/490.—The Government of India appointed in March 1949 (*vide* Gazette of India, dated 20th March 1948, p.p. 338-339) a Standing Committee known as the Central Manure (Compost) Development Committee for the purpose of advising Government on the steps to be taken to secure full utilisation of the urban and rural waste material available in the country, in increasing food production. With a view to strengthening the work of this Committee, the Government of India have reconstituted the above Committee with effect from 15th October 1949 as follows.—

II. The following shall be the members of the Committee in place of the members notified in the Gazette of India, dated 20th March 1948.

1. Shri R. K. Patil, Commissioner for Food Production, Government of India (Chairman).
2. Shri S. Y. Krishnaswamy, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India.
3. Shrimati Mira Behen, Hon. Agricultural Adviser to U. P. Government, Rishikesh (U. P.).
4. Shri Satish Chandra Das Gupta, Khadi Prathishtan, Sodepur, Calcutta.
5. Inspector General of Forests, Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India.
6. Dr. J. N. Mukerjee, Director, Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi.
7. Shri R. L. Sethi, Agricultural Commissioner, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi.

8-23. Directors of Agriculture of the following Provinces and States:—(i) East Punjab, (ii) United Provinces, (iii) Bihar, (iv) West Bengal, (v) Assam, (vi) Orissa, (vii) Central Provinces and Berar, (viii) Madras, (ix) Bombay, (x) Travancore & Cochin Union, (xi) Mysore State, (xii) Hyderabad Government, (xiii) Sauashtra Union, (xiv) Rajasthan Union, (xv) Madhyabharat Union, (xvi) Patiala and East Punjab States Union.

24-29. Agricultural Officers in Ajmer-Merwara, Coorg, Bhopal, Delhi, Cutch, Vindhya Pradesh.

30. Land Development Commissioner, Delhi.

31. Compost Development Adviser to Government of India. (Convenor).

III. The above Committee shall meet once every six months in order to carry out the work outlined in the

RECEIPTS

PAYMENTS

	Rs. AS. PS.	Rs. AS. PS.	Rs. AS. PS.	Rs. AS. PS.
(iv) Other miscellaneous receipts	3 0 0			
Add Telephone charges, recovered and adjusted in next year's account	3 13 0	6 13 0		
(iv) Forfeiture of Committee's contribution to Provident Fund Account of subscriber resigned	72 0 0			
(v) Farm produce and other receipts :—				
(a) From Central Coconut Research Station Kasargod	14,000 14 0			
(b) From Central Coconut Research Station, Kayamkulam	13,088 0 8			
(2) Central Coconut Research Station, Kyamkulam :—				
(a) Capital expenditure :—				
Construction of buildings :—				
Building Construction	98,698 1 3			
Building Contingencies	4,899 4 3			
Lay out	5,506 4 11			
Cost of temporary buildings	800 0 0			
Electric fittings	105 8 0			
Cost of stores : Dead & live stock :—			1,10,009 2 5	
Tools & implements				
Rs. 112 13 0				
Furniture & equipment				
Rs. 91 0 0			203 13 0	1,10,212 15 5
(b) Recurring expenditure :—				
Salary of staff			19,833 11 0	
Allowances and honoraria			8,025 4 0	
Leave salary & pension contributions			771 15 1	
Indian Central Coconut Committee Provident Fund contribution			218 0 0	
Contingencies			6,945 5 11	
Working expenses			15,500 7 1	52,294 11 1
II. B. Grants-in-aid Schemes.				
(a) Research Schemes :—				
Coconut Research Scheme, Madras.	Rs. 8,170			
Regional Coconut Research Station, Orissa	Rs. 2,000			
Regional Coconut Research Station, Travancore	Rs. 12,000	17,170 0 0		
(b) Nursery Schemes :—				
Coconut Nursery, Madras (Comprehensive scheme)	Rs. 20,200			
Coconut Nursery, Orissa	Rs. 4,240			
Coconut Nursery, Travancore	Rs. 2,885			
Coconut Nursery, Cochin	Rs. 1,580			
Coconut Nursery, Bombay	Rs. 5,500			
Coconut Nursery, Mysore	..	34,405 0 0		
C/o , 12,31,000 0 5			C/o , 51,575 0 0	7,00,049 12 0

RECEIPTS

PAYMENTS

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B. F.	Rs. As. Ps.	Rs. As. Ps.	Rs. As. Ps.	Rs. As. Ps.
		12,31,000 9 5		51,575 0 0
			20,200	7,00,010 12 0
(e) Miscellaneous : Multi- plantation & Distribution of <i>Crotalaria striata</i> seeds Madras			550 0 0	52,125 0 0
<i>III. Technological Research</i>				
<i>IV. Marketing Schemes :—</i>				
(a) Co-operative Marketing grants-in-aid schemes :—				
(i) Co-operative Marketing of Copra, Travancore Rs. 2,180				
(ii) Co-operative Marketing of Coconut Co. Cochin Rs. 1,200				
(iii) Subsidy to Coconut growers' Co-operative Society, Sakhigopol Rs. 500			3,850 0 0	
(b) Marketing & grading (of copra and coconut oil) Scheme			1,428 13 0	
(c) Scheme for the organisation of regulated markets for copra			2,218 8 7	7,408 7 4
<i>V. Sale of proceeds of old typewriter (received in 1947- 48) credited to Govt. of India*</i>				252 12 0
<i>By Closing Balance :—</i>				
Fixed Deposit with Central Bank of India Ltd			2,00,000 0 0	
Current Account with Imperial Bank of India			2,60,845 0 10	
<i>Imprests :—</i>				
Secretary's Office (including voucher for Rs. 377.0.0) Rs. 750				
Central Coconut Research Station, Kasaragod (in- cluding vouchers for Rs. 487.1.0) Ra. 500				
Central Coconut Research Station, Kayamkulam (including vouchers for Rs. 485.2.0) Ra. 1000			2,250 0 0	
Advance to Ad hoc Areca-nut Committee			1,886 7 3	
Advances recoverable aco- unt			1,035 0 0	
Balance adjusted in next year's account :—				
Publication receipts Rs. 47 4 9				
Telephone charges recovered Rs. 3 13 0			51 1 9	4,72,007 0 10**
TOTAL	12,31,000 9 5		TOTAL	12,31,000 9 5

*Cost price of Rs. 440 paid by the Committee for the typewriter has since been realised.

**Includes tender Deposit of Rs. 9,000 of contractors to be refunded.

Sd. U. RAGHAVAN,
Accountent.Sd. K. GOPALAN,
Secretary.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We have audited the accounts of the Indian Central Coconut Committee for the year ended 31st March, 1949 and have examined the statement of Receipts and Payments with the books of account and vouchers and other relevant papers presented to us for audit. We certify that the statement sets forth correctly the transactions of the Committee relating to the aforesaid period.

COCHIN,
16th August 1949(Sd.) Illegible,
Chartered Accountants.

New Delhi, the 24th October 1949

No. 40-57/48-Comm.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 17 of the Indian Oilseeds Committee Act, 1946 (IX of 1946), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the Indian Oilseeds Committee Rules, 1947, the same having previously been published as required by section 19 of the said Act namely:—

In the said Rules, for form "A" the following form shall be substituted, namely:—

FORM A

(See Rule 80)

Return under section 10 of the Indian Oilseeds Committee Act, 1946 (IX of 1946), for the month of 19 (information required under each part should be furnished on separate sheets).

PART I

(1) Name of the Mill
 (2) Address of the Mill
 (i) Town
 (ii) District
 (iii) Province/State
 (8) Name and address of the owner or Managing Agent
 (4) Amount of cess paid during the month
 (5) Total crushing capacity and capacity utilized during the month of the different types of presses used in the Mill.

1	2	3	4

Type of presses used.	Number in each type.	Total crushing capacity of each type in maunds. (In terms of seeds)	Total capacity actually utilized in each type in maunds. (In terms of seeds).

1. Hydraulic press
 2. Expeller.
 3. Rotary Ghani.
 4. Hand Press.
 5. Other types specify each type

(6) Quantities of seeds crushed and oils and oilcakes produced during the month (in maunds).

Name of seed.	Quantity crushed.	Quantity of oil produced.	Quantity of oilcakes produced.

(Signed)

PART II

Return for the month of 19 .

(a) Name of Mill.....
 (b) Name of Owner or Managing Agent.
 (c) Number of maunds of oil extracted from each kind of oilseeds in the mill as detailed in part I of the Form, attached, during the month of 19 .

(d) Cess at	annas per maund.	Rs. P.
(e) Amount remitted herewith to Local Treasury.	Draft Cheque.	Money Order.

[Score out (e) if remittance does not accompany return.]

I do hereby declare that I have compared parts I and II with the records and books of my Mill and that they are, in so far as I can ascertain, accurate and complete.

Dated this day of 19 .
 (Signed)

(To be signed by the Mill-Owner or Managing agent, or other principal officer of the Mill.)

NOTE.—All oils extracted from oilseeds produced in or imported from outside the Provinces of India are liable to the cess.

No. F. 35-17/Com-49.—In pursuance of sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Indian Coconut Committee Act, 1944 (X of 1944) and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Agriculture No. F. 35-17/Com-49, dated the 14th September, 1949, the Central Government is on the recommendation of the Government of the United States of Travancore and Cochin pleased to appoint (i) Shri T. C. Kochunni Pillai and (ii) Shri V. Kunjukrishnan, Secretary to the Government of the United States of Travancore and Cochin, Development Department to be members of the Indian Central Coconut Committee vice Shri Kumar Das and Shri K. R. Narayana Iyer, respectively.

S. R. MAINI, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(ARCHAEOLOGY)

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. F. 5-53/49-A.2.—The following draft of an amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules published with the notification of the Government of Bombay in the Political and Reforms Department No. 8690, dated the 11th December, 1936, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 15 of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1901), is published as required by the said sub-section, for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Central Government within one month from the date of issue.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the said date will be considered by the Central Government.

Draft Amendment

To sub-rule (1) of rule 2 of the said rules the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that any of the protected monuments to which these rules apply may in the interests of public safety or the security of the monument, be closed to the public at any time for such temporary period as the Central Government may think fit. Notice of any such closure will be put up at the protected monument concerned by the Superintendent, Department of Archaeology, Western Circle, Poona, when that becomes absolutely necessary or desirable".

P. N. KIRPAL, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**(Railway Board)***New Delhi, the 18th October 1949*

No. E49RR7.—The following rules and regulations are published for general information:—

REGULATIONS FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE MECHANICAL ENGINEERING AND TRANSPORTATION (POWER) DEPARTMENT OF THE SUPERIOR REVENUE ESTABLISHMENT OF STATE RAILWAYS.

PART I.—General

1. The permanent establishment of the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways is recruited from the following sources:—

(1) Persons appointed by the Government of India as Special Class Apprentices by selection in India under the conditions detailed in Part II of these regulations.

(2) By competitive examination held in India.

NOTE.—Rules for direct recruitment by competitive examination will be published later as PART II of these Rules.

(3) Promotion of specially qualified officers of the Lower Gazetted Service and non-Gazetted Staff of the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department.

(4) Occasional admission of other qualified persons appointed by the Governor General in consultation with the Federal Public Service Commission.

NOTE.—Candidates selected as Special Class Apprentices under Regulation 1(1) shall be required to undergo practical and theoretical training. For the periods and courses of training and terms and conditions of apprenticeship see Appendix I.

PART II.—Qualifications of candidates and methods of selection of Special Class Apprentices recruited under Regulation 1 (1).

2. A candidate must be either:—

(a) a national of the Indian Dominion by birth or by domicile, or

(b) a person of Indian descent, or a ruler or a citizen of an Indian State, or a citizen of the Pakistan Dominion or of any other territory adjacent to India in whose favour a declaration of eligibility has been issued by the Government of the Dominion of India.

NOTE (i).—A declaration of eligibility will be given by Government after considering each individual case on merits.

NOTE (ii).—With regard to subjects of Indian States, the criterion in determining eligibility will be *inter alia* whether the State concerned has elected to join the Indian Dominion.

NOTE (iii).—Candidates who have migrated before 30th September, 1948 from Pakistan area with the intention of permanently settling down in India will be regarded as having never lost their Indian domicile.

3. A candidate must be in good mental and bodily health and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with the efficient performance of his duties as a member of the Railway Services. A candidate who is found after examination by a Medical Board not to satisfy these requirements will not be appointed. Only those candidates who are likely to be appointed will be medically examined*.

*In order to prevent disappointment, candidates are advised to have themselves examined by a Government Medical Officer or the standing of a Civil Surgeon, before applying for admission to the examination. Particulars of the nature of the physical test to which candidates will be submitted before appointment and of the standards required can be had from the Commission.

4. A candidate must be under 19 years (in the case of Scheduled Castes candidates, under 22 years) of age on the 3rd day of August immediately preceding the selection and must—

(a) have passed the Intermediate Examination of a University or Board approved by the Governor General in the 1st or 2nd Division with Mathematics as one of the subjects passed; or a degree examination of a recognised Indian University (with Mathematics as a subject in the Degree Examination); or

(b) have passed the Pre-Engineering Examination of the Delhi Polytechnic in the 1st or 2nd Division; or

(c) have passed the 1st year Examination including Mathematics of the new three year Degree Course at Delhi University and have been promoted to the 2nd year, provided that he passed in the 1st or 2nd Division at the Higher Secondary Examination or the Matric or High School Examination, before joining the degree course; or

(d) have obtained a Cambridge School Certificate (A) with at least 5 credits, including a credit in Mathematics; or

(e) have passed the London Matriculation Examination with a pass in Mathematics.

NOTE 1.—The maximum age limit will be relaxable by 3 years in favour of *bona fide* refugee candidates from Pakistan.

NOTE 2.—A candidate who has secured a Cambridge School Certificate (B) and who has satisfied the conditions in (d) above will be eligible for admission to the Selection provided that he produces a certificate from the Head of an institution approved for the purpose of the award of School Certificate (A) stating that he actually took the examination from that school and had been in attendance at an approved school or schools for a continuous period of three years immediately prior to the School Certificate Examination.

5. A candidate must satisfy the Federal Public Service Commission that he/she is in all respects suitable for employment in the Railway Services.

6. A candidate must submit his/her application to the Federal Public Service Commission in such manner, before such date, and in such form as the Commission may direct.

7. No candidate shall make more than one application for each selection.

8. No recommendations except those invited in the Form of Application will be taken into consideration. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to obtain support for his/her candidature by other means may disqualify him/her for appointment.

9. Candidates must pay the following fees:—

(i) To the Federal Public Service Commission—Rs. 7-8-0 (Rs. 1-14-0 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes), with the application form.

(Only treasury receipt or a crossed Indian postal order for this amount will be accepted by the Federal Public Service Commission. The Federal Public Service Commission cannot accept fees in cash or cheques.)

NOTE.—The Commission may at their discretion remit the prescribed fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a *bona fide* refugee and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee.

(ii) To the General Manager of the Railway which arranges for the Medical examination—Rs. 16 before examination by a Medical Board, if selected for appointment.

No claim for a refund of these fees will be entertained, nor will they be held in reserve for any other examination or selection.

10. The Federal Public Service Commission shall ordinarily interview all candidates who satisfy the above requirements but they may at their discretion subject all candidates to a simple qualifying test in General Intelligence an interview only those candidates who qualify at this test.

11. Candidates who are to be interviewed by the Federal Public Service Commission will be summoned by the Commission.

Unless a candidate has been so summoned he/she will not be interviewed.

12. The Federal Public Service Commission shall prepare a list of selected candidates in order of merit provided the candidates are in the opinion of the Commission suitable for appointment as Special Class Apprentices. Vacancies shall be filled in strict order of merit from the

Est prepared by the Federal Public Service Commission subject to the provisions of the Government of India, Home Department, Resolution No. 16/10/47-Est(R), dated 21st August 1947 provided that the Government of India are satisfied that such candidates are in all respects suitable for employment in the Railway Service.

APPENDIX I

Conditions of Apprenticeship for Special Class Apprentices Selected under Regulation 1 (1) in Part I of the Regulations.

1. Candidates selected for appointment as Special Class Apprentices under Regulation 12 in Part II will be liable to undergo practical and theoretical training for 6 years in the first instance under an indenture binding them to serve on the State-managed Railways on the completion of their training if their services are required. The continuance of apprenticeship from year to year will depend on the satisfactory reports being received from the authorities under whom the apprentice may be working. If at any time during his apprenticeship, an apprentice does not satisfy the superior authorities that he/she is making good progress, he/she will be liable to be discharged from his/her apprenticeship.

NOTE.—The Government of India may at their discretion alter or modify the periods and courses of training.

2. The practical and theoretical training referred to above will be given in a railway workshop for the first four years of their apprenticeship. The apprentices will be granted a stipend of Rs. 100 per mensem during the first three years and Rs. 125 per mensem in the fourth year. During the first three years the apprentices will be required to undergo training in four periods of nine months each six months in the shops followed by three months in the technical school and will be examined at the end of each session. If unsuccessful at any of these examinations, they will be discharged from their apprenticeship. During the fourth year they will undergo only practical training and prepare for the examination for Associate Membership of the Institute of Civil or Mechanical Engineers.

NOTE.—Except as provided for in rule 5(b) below, in all cases of discharge from apprenticeship a week's notice will be given.

3. Before completion of the 4th year of the training referred to in rule 2 above, the apprentices will be listed in order of merit on the results of the examinations held and the reports on the apprentices received during the period of apprenticeship. All the apprentices who have attained the qualifying standard will then be put on further training for 2 years (see rule 4 below).

NOTE.—An apprentice will be considered to have obtained the qualifying standard if he/she obtains a minimum of 50 per cent marks in the aggregate in all the examinations held during the 4 years of his/her training included the marks for the reports of the Principal, Technical School and of the Deputy C.M.E. provided that in each of the 4 years he/she has obtained a minimum of 45 per cent. marks in the aggregate and a minimum of 40 per cent. marks in any one subject.

4. Apprentices put on further training under Rule 3 will either be sent to one or more of the Indian Government Railways, or to the United Kingdom for undergoing a further period of training for two years or less in a selected Locomotive or Carriage and Wagon Workshop under conditions existing for apprentices and improvers, three months of the time being spent in the Drawing Office and three months in the Correspondence or Accounts Sections. In all cases, the apprentices will be required to attend after working hours, a technical college or special lectures on engineering subjects and before completion of the training, must qualify for Associate Membership of the Institution of Civil or Mechanical Engineers. During this period of training, the apprentices will be paid a stipend of Rs. 200 per mensem if the training is arranged in India and £400 per annum if they are sent to the United Kingdom. In the latter case, they will also be granted a free second class passage to the United Kingdom and during the period of voyage to the U.K., their stipend of Rs. 125 will be continued. The apprentices will also be eligible for an outfit allowance of Rs. 100 to provide themselves with such clothes and other

necessary articles as they may require on the journey or immediately on their arrival in the United Kingdom.

NOTE 1.—While in the United Kingdom apprentices will be under the supervision and control of the High Commissioner for India.

NOTE 2.—Any fee or premium which may be required, in the opinion of the High Commissioner for India, to secure adequate training will be paid by Government.

NOTE 3.—The rate of stipend of £400 per annum to be granted to the apprentices while undergoing training in the U.K. specified above is provisional and is subject to revision as circumstances require.

5. (a) Apprentices sent to the United Kingdom will be granted a free first class passage to India on the successful termination of their apprenticeship. The stipend of £400 will be continued during the period of voyage.

(b) Unsuccessful apprentices will be discharged from their apprenticeship one month's notice of discharge being given along with the intimation that the apprentice has been unsuccessful. In the case of the apprentices who are sent to the United Kingdom for the further training and whose apprenticeship is unsuccessful, they may be granted a free second class passage back to India provided that they embark for India within a period of 3 months from the date of intimation that they have been unsuccessful.

6. Successful apprentices will be appointed on probation for three years on a commencing pay of Rs. 350 per mensem and posted to the Transportation (Power) Department on State-managed Railways for the period of their probation. At the end of their probationary period they will be required to undergo a departmental examination which will include Accounting and Estimating, General and Subsidiary Rules, Factories Act, Workmen's Compensation Act, ability to handle labour and general application to work or works on which each officer is engaged while on probation. If retained in service thereafter they will be employed in the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department.

7. Pay as probationer will commence from the date of completion of the full period of training in the case of the apprentices who undergo the further training in India, or the date of landing in India in the case of the apprentices who are sent to the United Kingdom for the further training. Service for increment will count from the date of appointment as probationer.

NOTE 1.—The retention in service of the probationers and the grant of annual increments are subject to satisfactory reports on their work being received at the end of each year of probation.

NOTE 2.—Service as probationer may be terminated on 3 months' notice on either side.

APPENDIX II

Particulars regarding the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways.

1. The following are the rates of pay at present admissible to officers appointed in India to the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of the Indian Government Railways:—

Junior Scale:—Rs. 350—350—380—380—30—590—E.B.—30—770—40—850

Senior Scale:—Rs. 600 (1st to 6th year) 40—1000—1000—1050—1050—1100—1100—1150.

Junior Administrative Grade:—Rs. 1300—60—1600.

Senior Administrative Grade:—Under consideration.

2. The increments will be given for approved service only and in accordance with rules of the Department.

3. Promotions to the administrative grades are dependent on the occurrence of vacancies in the sanctioned establishment, and are made wholly by selection; mere seniority is considered to confer no claim to promotion.

4. Officers recruited under these regulations shall be eligible for leave in accordance with the rules for the time being in force applicable to officers of State Railways.

5. Officers will ordinarily be employed throughout their service on the Railway to which they may be posted on first appointment and will have no claim, as a matter of right to transfer to some other Railway. But the Government of India reserve the right to transfer such officers, in the exigencies of service to any other Railway or project in or out of India. Officers will be liable to serve in the Stores Department of the State Railways if and when called upon to do so.

6. The relative seniority of officers appointed under regulation 1(1) will ordinarily be determined by their order of merit. The Government of India, however, reserve the right of fixing seniority at their discretion in individual cases. They also reserve the right of assigning to officers appointed under regulation 1(2), 1(3) and 1(4) positions in the seniority list at their discretion.

7. Probationers will be required to pass a language examination in *Urdu/Hindi* by the Lower Standard, modified to suit the requirements of the Railways, before they can be confirmed or before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 to Rs. 380 in the time scale during the period of their probation. Probationers who can read, write and speak in *Urdu/Hindi* may be exempted by the General Manager from passing the language examination. Failure to pass the examination within the probationary period involves liability to removal from service.

8. Officers (including probationers) recruited under these regulations, will not be entitled to pension on quitting the service, but will be eligible throughout their service for the benefits of the State Railway Provident Fund, to which they will be required to subscribe, and by the rules of which Fund they will be required to abide.

S. S. RAMASUBBAN, Secy.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT

PORTS

New Delhi, the 18th October 1949

No. 9-P(58)/49.—In pursuance of section 5 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890 (Bengal Act III of 1890), the Principal Officer, Merchantile Marine Department, Calcutta District, has been appointed as a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta vice Captain F. L. Hemming.

A. K. MUKHERJEA, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS

New Delhi, the 25th October 1949

No. 10-A/2-48.—The following draft of certain further amendments to the Indian Aircraft Rules, 1920, which it is proposed to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 16 of the Indian Aircraft Act, 1934 (XXII of 1934), is published, as required by section 14 of the said Act, for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th February 1950. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft before the date specified will be considered by the Central Government.

Draft Amendments

In the said Rules—

1. In the heading of Chapter III and in all rules in that Chapter, for the words "the Provinces of India" wherever they occur, the word "India" shall be substituted.

2. In rule 58,—

(a) for the words "Governor-General in Council" the words "Central Government" shall be substituted;
(b) in clause (a), after the word "aerodrome" where it occurs for the first time, the words "in India" shall be inserted.

3. Rules 64 and 64A shall be omitted and in lieu thereof the following rule shall be inserted, namely:—

"64. These rules extend to the whole of India."

P. K. ROY, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF WORKS MINES AND POWER

New Delhi, the 19th October 1949

No. 5087-WIV/49.—In pursuance of clause (b) of Section 2 of the Delhi Premises Requisition and Eviction Act, 1947 (XLIX of 1947), the Central Government is pleased to authorise the Joint Estate Officer to the Government of India to perform all the functions of a competent authority under the said Act.

N. B. CHATTERJI, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF LABOUR

New Delhi, the 15th October 1949

No. SS. 121(4).—In pursuance of section 10 of the Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948 (XXXIV of 1948), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Labour, No. SS. 21(4), dated the 28th December, 1948, constituting the Medical Benefit Council, namely:—

In the said notification for item No. (12), the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"(12) Lt. Colonel B. S. Nat, M.D., F.R.C.S. (England), Director of Health Services, East Punjab".

N. M. PATNAIK, Dy. Secy.

New Delhi, the 24th October 1949

No. LWI-24(3).—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of section 2 of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 (XI of 1948), the Central Government is pleased to appoint the Director, Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour, Government of India, as the 'Competent Authority' to ascertain from time to time the cost of living index number applicable to the employees employed in all scheduled employments of the kind referred to in sub-clause (i) of clause (b) of the said section.

P. N. SHARMA, Under Secy.

ORDERS

New Delhi, the 17th October 1949

No. LR. 8(98).—Whereas by an order of the Central Government in the Ministry of Labour No. LR. 8(98) dated the 20th May 1949, the industrial dispute between the workmen of the Shivrajpur Mines, Panch Mahals, Bombay, and their management, viz., the Shivrajpur Syndicate, Limited, Bombay, was referred to the Industrial Tribunal of which Mr. K. C. Sen, President Industrial Court, Bombay, was the sole member, for adjudication;

And whereas the award made by the said Tribunal has been published by the Central Government on the 28th September 1949 in a notification of the Ministry of Labour No. LR-8(98) dated the 23rd September 1949;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 15 and 19 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (XIV of 1947), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the award shall be binding for a period of one year from the 2nd September 1949.

New Delhi, the 18th October 1949

No. LR-2(225).—Whereas an industrial dispute has arisen between the workmen of the Jamadoba and 6 and 7 Pits Collieries of the Tata Iron and Steel Company, Limited, and their management concerning the wages of banksmen, onsetters, loosemen and pointsmen;

And whereas the Central Government considers it desirable to refer the dispute for adjudication;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 1 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (XIV of 1947), the Central Government is pleased to refer the said dispute for adjudication to the Industrial Tribunal at Dhanbad constituted under section 7 of the said Act.

No. LR-2(225).—Whereas an industrial dispute has arisen between the workmen of all the collieries of the Tata Iron and Steel Company, Limited, in the Provinces of West Bengal and Bihar and their management, concerning the wages of hookmen, banksmen, onsetters, loosemen and pointsmen;

And whereas the Central Government considers it desirable to refer the dispute for adjudication;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 1 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (XIV of 1947), the Central Government is pleased to refer the said dispute except the dispute relating to the Jamadoba and 6 and 7 pits Collieries, for which a separate order is made for adjudication to the Industrial Tribunal at Dhanbad constituted under section 7 of the said Act.

S. MULLICK, Dy. Secy.